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## **VIA ELECTRONIC CASE FILING**

Honorable Magistrate Judge Sarah Netburn United States District Court for the Southern District of New York Thurgood Marshall U.S. Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

Re:

In Re: September 11, 2001 Terror Attacks, 03-mdl-1570 (GBD)(SN) Ashton et al. v. al Qaeda Islamic Army, et al., 02-cv-6977 (GBD)(SN) Bauer et al. v. al Qaeda Islamic Army, et al., 02-cv-7236 (GBD)(SN) Ashton et al. v. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, 17-cv-2003 (GBD)(SN)

Dear Judge Netburn:

Consistent with the Court's October 18, 2019 Order (ECF No. 5220), this letter will advise that the parties conferred several times over the past week, and we have been unable to reach a resolution.

As such, we are prepared to move forward and respectfully request that the Court set this matter down for an evidentiary hearing on December 18, 2019 if this date is available on the Court's calendar.

Respectfully submitted,

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